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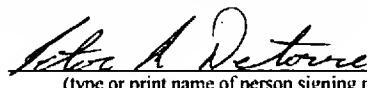
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STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

To The Honorable Commissioner For Patents:

Examiner John R. Hardee called Applicant's attorney, Mr. Peter R. Detorre, on August 5, 2009 to discuss Applicant's Response (filed June 11, 2009) to the 35 U.S.C. §112, first paragraph rejection of claims 1-15 cited in the Office Action mailed on March 11, 2009. In discussing this rejection and Applicant's Response, Examiner Hardee proposed amendments to claims 1, 3, 4, 5 and 6 which, if made, would allow for the withdrawal of the 35 U.S.C. §112, first paragraph rejection.

The application was amended as follows:

Claims 1, 3, 4, 5 and 6 were changed from "...R² is a ... mono- or disubstituted C₅ or C₆ cycloalkyl..." to "...R² is a ... monomethyl- or dimethyl- substituted C₅ or C₆ cycloalkyl...".

No other claims were discussed during the August 5, 2009 telephonic interview. No prior art was discussed during the August 5, 2009 telephonic interview. No other matters were discussed during the August 5, 2009 telephonic interview.

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Should there be any questions, Applicants' undersigned attorneys would welcome a telephone call.

Respectfully submitted,



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